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FOR:	Rolling Contact)		
	Screening Method and)		
	Apparatus)		

STATUS INQUIRY REQUEST


Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully inquires about the status of the subject application. To date, no office action has been received since the filing of the application on September 16, 2003. Upon checking the November 29, 2005, Volume 1300 Number 5 of the Electronic Official Gazette for Patents, we find that the average filing date of applications receiving a first office action in the last three months is November 28, 2003.

A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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